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LOVE'S RUSE.

"Let me in!" cried Cupid, knocking
At the door one day.
To the sprite I answered shortly,
"I've no time for play."
But the rogue with silvery laughter
Strove to move my heart,
Tempted me with merry darling
And Love's cunning art.
Still unmoved, the door I fastened
'Gainst the coaxing sprite;
Then he peeped within my windows
Beautiful and bright,
Promised me all things delightful,
Wealth and wondrous fame.
"No," said I, "I deem your promise
Light, sir, as your name."
Slowly turned he from the window,
With a puzzled face.
"Fare you well," I cried, rejoicing,
"Go, and leave no trace."
But too soon I heard a sighing
Just without my door;
"Let me in!" cried tearful Cupid;
"Open, I implore."
"Lo! my pinions are so weary!
Give me rest, I pray;
Only for one fleeting moment,
Ere I go my way."
Silvery laughter had not won me
Coaxing I had scorned,
Promises, ah! thanks to reason,
'Gainst them I was warned.
But when Cupid came in trouble,
He brought Pity too;
Love and Pity leagued together;
What could mortal do;
Then I threw my door wide open;
With a mocking shout
In flew Cupid, and I never
Now can turn him out.

AT a brilliant church wedding some of the ushers showed some very worthy, but socially obscure people, into good seats in the middle aisle. As soon as he discovered it, the pompous sexton hastened to the usher and exclaimed, "Did you give the——s that seat?" "Yes." "What on earth did you do that for?" Did you not know that they were only side-aisle-trash?" —*Boston Journal.*

BY order of the Lords of the Admiralty the Admiral Superintendent of the Devonport Dockyard has formally and severely reprimanded an engineer student for replying to the examiner in a facetious manner. When asked, "How would you proceed to get up steam?" he answered, "Tighten your funnel stays and regulate your funnel draught, then look up to Our Father and say, 'I am ready to go home if the boiler fronts come out."

Special Notice.

Messrs. T. N. Hibben & Co. are about to issue a "Guide to British Columbia," to comprise—

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Essays on the products and resources of the Province, from the most reliable authority.

Lists and reports of the different societies.

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NEW GOODS AT ALBION HOUSE.—Ladies' and Children's Hyde Park Wraps and Shawls, Jackets, Skirts, Hosiery, Winter Dress Goods in great variety, Blankets, Ladies' and Gents' Umbrellas in all classes, Furs, Lyons Black Piece Velvets, Jouvin and other Kid Gloves, Nubias, Breakfast Shawls and other wool goods, Gents' Underclothing, etc.; also, a full stock of Staple Goods.—A. B. GRAY & Co., proprietors, Government street, October 31, 1876. * *

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The Stock of Cattle as also the Farming Implements belong to Mr. Edwards will also be let with the Farm.

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H. F. HEISTERMAN,
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Victoria, Oct. 30, 1876. oc31 2w

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H. C. WILMOT.
VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 2nd, 1876. oc3dw3m

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VICTORIA, Oct. 21st, 1876. oc21

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VICTORIA, May 11th, 1875.

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VICTORIA, B. C.
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Notices.

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, 6th October, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

JOSEPH SPRATT and ALEXANDER BLAIR GRAY of Victoria, Esquires, to be Justices of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia.

ROBERT MIDGLEY CLEMITSON, Esq., to be Deputy Superintendent of Education for the Province of British Columbia. oc8

Gold Commissioner's Court.

ON and after the 1st of October next, all Mining Claims in the Cassiar District may be laid over till the 15th June, 1877, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."
A. W. VOWELL,
Gold Commissioner.
LAKETON, September 1st, 1876. oc8

Gold Commissioner's Notice.

ON and after the 1st November next, all claims in the Cariboo District may be laid over till the 20th May, 1877, subject to the 9th Section of the "Gold Mining Amendment Act, 1872."
H. M. BALL,
Gold Commissioner.
Richfield, Oct. 17 1875. no5

LOST.

A PROMISSORY NOTE, DRAWN BY Ah Chung in favor of P. McEntee, for $235, dated about May 10th, 1876, at Cook's Ferry, B. C., was lost about September 20th last. The note has been paid, and all persons are cautioned against negotiating or in any way dealing with it.
S. M. NELSON.
Victoria, B.C., Oct. 31, 1876. no1dw*

School Tax Act, 1876.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the School Tax of $3 on each male adult is now due and payable on or before the 25th inst., to the undersigned.
R. F. JOHN, Collector.
South Saanich, Nov. 4, 1876. no5dw1m

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, November 11th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place JOHN PUETZ, of Mayne Island, and WILLIAM ELFORD, of Saturna Island, Esquires, on the Commission of the Peace in and for the Electoral District of Cowichan. no14

To Plasterers and Painters.

TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED AT MY Office on Kane street, where the Plans and Specifications may be seen till 12 m. on Friday next the 17th inst., for the Plasterer's and Painter's Work required to be performed on Senator Macdonald's New Building on Montreal street, James Bay.
THOS. TROUNCE, Architect,
Kane street, Nov. 11, 1876. no12

NOTICE.

FROM AND AFTER THIS DATE I WILL only accept **Coin for Rent**, as well as for other Payments to be made to me.
de30 LD. LOWENBERG.

Notices.

DENMAN ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 60, "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivisions of Land situate on Denman Island, Nanaimo District, are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—

Section.....1
N. E. ¼ Section 3
N. W. ¼ Section 21
Sections 31 32, and 33.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21 October, 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

Fall Circuit.

A COURT of General Assize and Gaol Delivery and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places at eleven o'clock in the forenoon on the following days, and all witnesses are hereby notified to attend thereat.

Richfield.....Monday, 18th September
Quesnellemouth.....Saturday, 23rd "
Clinton.....Monday, 2nd October
Kamloops.....Friday, 6th "
Lytton.....Thursday, 12th "
Yale.....Monday, 16th "
New Westminster ...Saturday, 21st "

By command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
Jy30 Provincial Secretary.

PUBLIC NOTICE.

COWICHAN ELECTORAL DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that the following Highway is hereby established in Cowichan District, viz:—

Commencing at a point on the Trunk Road on the section line between sections three (3) and four (4), Range four (IV); thence true East 75 chains more or less; thence North-East 90 chains more or less, to Lewis' bridge on the old Maple Bay and Somenos Road, and including sixteen and one-half feet (16½) on each side thereof.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 9th Sept., 1876. se12

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, October 26th, 1875.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to place JOHN ROBSON, of Victoria, Esquire, on the Commission of the Peace in and for the Province of British Columbia. oc29

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, October 29th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

HENRY MCHUGH, W. F. TOLMIE, JUNR., G. W. WILSON BROWN, and GEORGE LINDSAY, Esquires, to be Fence Viewers in Lake District, under and to carry out the provisions of the "British Columbia Line Fences and Water Courses Act, 1876. oc29

DENMAN ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 23, "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown Land situate on Denman Island, Nanaimo District, as defined on the Official Map in the Land Office, Victoria, will be open for pre emption and purchase at 10 o'clock a.m. on Wednesday, 8th November, at the office of T. L. Fawcett, Esq., Government Agent, Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, with the exception of the following subdivisions:—

W. ½ of S.W. ¼ Section 13
W. ½ of N.E. ¼ " 18
W. ½ " 19
" 19
" 20
W. ½ of S.W. ¼ " 21
" 1
N E. ¼ " 3
N.W. ¼ " 21
Sections 31, 32, and 33.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

HORNBY ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 23, "Land Act, 1875," that all the surveyed, unreserved, vacant Crown Land situate on Hornby Island, Nanaimo District, as defined on the Official Map in the Land Office, Victoria, will be open for pre-emption and purchase at 10 o'clock, a.m. on Wednesday, 8th November, at the office of Thos. L. Fawcett, Esq., Government Agent, Nanaimo, Vancouver Island, with the exception of the following subdivisions:—

North ½ Section 1
South-East ¼ Section 2
South-West ¼ " 9
South East ¼ " 10
" 5
Section 7.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

ALL PERSONS HAVING CLAIMS AGAINST the Lands and Works Department are requested to present their accounts for settlement on or before the 1st of December next.

F. GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Nov. 3rd, 1876. no4

Notice to Claimants of Land.

LASQUETI ISLAND, NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," that Lasqueti Island, in the Land Recording District of Nanaimo, has been subdivided by survey, and the Map thereof has been deposited in the office of Thos. L. Fawcett, Esq., Nanaimo.

And that claimants to any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with Clause 21 "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of Proof and Declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, Nanaimo.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, 21st October, 1876. oc22

PUBLIC NOTICE

IS HEREBY GIVEN, that on and after the Sixteenth (16th) day of October, 1876, all Mining Claims legally held in the District of Kootenay will be laid over until the First (1st) day of June, 1877, subject to the Provincial Statutes and Ordinances made and provided for governing the working of Mining Claims during the close season.

CORNELIUS BOOTH,
Gold Commissioner.
Wild Horse Creek, 30th Sept., 1876. oc22

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in the Coast District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—Commencing at a point at the mouth of Salmon River, on Dean's Channel; thence in a northerly direction, following the shore line of the channel and the centre of Clamsquot River, a distance of three miles; thence, in an easterly direction, running parallel to Salmon River, a distance of four miles; thence true south, six miles; thence in a westerly direction, running parallel to Salmon River, to the shore line of Dean's Channel; thence northerly, along the shore of the said channel, to the point of commencement.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 7th October, 1876 oc8

Notices.

LEGISLATIVE ASSEMBLY.

PRIVATE BILLS.

ALL applications for Private Bills, properly the subject of legislation by the Legislative Assembly of British Columbia, within the purview of the "British North America Act, 1867," whether for the erection of a Bridge, the making of a Railroad, Turnpike Road or Telegraph Line; the construction or improvement of a Harbor, Canal, Lock, Dam or Slide, or other likes work; the granting of a right of Ferry; the incorporation of any particular trade or calling, or of any Joint Stock Co.; or otherwise for granting to any individual or individuals any exclusive or peculiar rights or privileges whatever, or for doing any matter or thing which in its operation would affect the rights or property of other parties, or relate to any particular class of the community; or for making any amendment of a like nature to any former Act,—shall require a Notice, clearly and distinctly specifying the nature and object of the application, to be published as follows:

A notice inserted in the BRITISH COLUMBIA GAZETTE and in one newspaper published in the District affected, or if there be no newspaper published therein, then in a newspaper in the next nearest District in which a newspaper is published.

Such notice shall be continued in each case for a period of at least six weeks, during the interval of time between the close of the next preceding Session and the consideration of the Petition.

Before any Petition, praying for leave to bring in a Private Bill for the erection of a Toll Bridge is presented to the House, the person or persons intending to petition for such a Bill shall, upon giving the notice prescribed by the preceding rule, also at the same time and in the same manner, give notice of the rates which they intend to ask, the extent of the privilege, the height of the arches, the interval between the abutments or piers for the passage of rafts and vessels, and mentioning also whether they intend to erect a drawbridge or not, and the dimensions of the same.

J. ROLAND HETT,
Clerk of the Legislative Assembly.
HOUSE OF ASSEMBLY,
Victoria. oc25

EDUCATION.

CLASSES FOR YOUNG LADIES WILL be commenced on Wednesday, the 20th inst., in the house situated on the corner of Kane and Quadra streets, by competent teachers, under the immediate supervision of the Rev. E. Cridge and Mrs. Cridge.

A class for boys under 8 years of age will also be formed. For particulars apply to
ja14 MRS. CRIDGE.

NOTICE.

A GENERAL COURT OF ASSIZE and Gaol Delivery, and of Nisi Prius, will be held at each of the undermentioned places as follow:—

Victoria, Tuesday, the 28th day of November, at 11 a. m.

Nanaimo, Wednesday, the 6th day of December, at 11 a. m.

Dated 14th October, 1876.

By Command,
A. C. ELLIOTT,
oc15 Provincial Sect'y.

HORNBY ISLAND.

NANAIMO DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, in accordance with Clause 60 "Land Act, 1875," that the following subdivisions of Land situate on Hornby Island, Nanaimo District, are reserved for Government purposes, viz:—

S. E. ¼ Section 5
Section 7.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, 21st Oct., 1876. oc22

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Insolvent Act, 1875.

In the matter of ALEXANDER CLYLE, an Insolvent.

THE Insolvent has made an assignment of his estate to me, and the Creditors are notified to meet at my office, Wharf street, Victoria, on Tuesday, 14th November, 1876, at 11 a.m., to receive statements of his affairs and to appoint an Assignee if they see fit.
C. T. DUPONT,
Official Assignee.
Victoria, October 16th, 1876. oc31

Appointments.

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, Victoria, September 30th, 1876.

HIS EXCELLENCY the Lieutenant-Governor has been pleased to make the following appointments:—

A. T. D. MCELMEN, Esq., to form a Court of Revision and Appeal for the District of Victoria, as defined in the "Assessment Act, 1876."

THOMAS HARRIS Esq., to be Sheriff for Vancouver Island, vice RICHARD WOODS, Esq., deceased.

THOMAS HARRIS, Esq., to be a Registrar under and to carry out the "Marriage Ordinance, 1867," and the "Marriage Ordinance Amendment Act, 1872," vice R. E. WOODS, Esq. oc1

NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in the Coast District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—Commencing at Potato Point, on Bute Inlet; thence true West, three miles; thence true North, six miles; thence true East, six miles; thence true South, six miles; thence true West, three miles, to the point of commencement.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands and Works.
Lands and Works Department,
Victoria, October 7th, 1876. oc8

DISSOLUTION.

THE PARTNERSHIP HERETOFORE EXisting between J. C. Beedy and Alexander Lindsay of Lightning Creek, B. C., under the name of Beedy & Lindsay, is this day dissolved by mutual consent. J. C. Beedy will assume all liabilities and collect all outstanding accounts.

J. C BEEDY,
STANLEY, B.C., ALEX. LINDSAY.
October 9th, 1876. oc22dw

"Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870."

QUAMICHAN DISTRICT.

NOTICE is hereby given, that I shall, in pursuance of the provisions of the "Crown Grants Ordinance, 1870," and at the expiration of three calendar months from the date hereof, recommend the issue of a Crown Grant to DANIEL LINDSAY, of—

Section 3, Range VIII, and the Western half of Section 2, Range VIII, in the Quemichan District, unless objection be made to me, in writing, in the meantime, against the issue thereof.

A. B. W. AIRMAN,
Registrar-General.
Land Registry Office, 28th Oct., 1876. oc29

Notice.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT

NOTICE is hereby given that all that tract of land situate in the District of New Westminster containing 160 acres and known as Lot 149, Group 2, will be offered for sale at Public Auction, on the 13th day of November, 1876, in the City of New Westminster. Upset price One Dollar per acre, $1.00.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands and Works Dept.,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se17

Notices.

BILL POSTING.

MR. WELTON, JANITOR OF THEATRE Royal, will attend to posting and distributing bills of every description in Victoria and vicinity. Orders may be left at THE COLONIST Office. de2

TO THE PUBLIC.

AT THE REQUEST OF THE PROPRIEtors of THEATRE ROYAL, we have this day examined that building, and pronounce the same to be perfectly safe for any number of people that may CROWD into it.

JOHN TEAGUE,
EDWARD MALLANDAINE,
THOS. TROUNCE,
Architects.

SMITH & CLARK,
D. F. ADAMS,
HAYWARD & JENKINSON
MUIRHEAD & MANN,
GEORGE BAKER,
P. D. FORBES,
Builders.
Victoria, Feb. 19th, 1876. fe20tf

Notice to Claimants of Land.

NEW WESTMINSTER DISTRICT.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, in accordance with the provisions of the "Land Act, 1875," Annacis Island, situate in the Land Recording District of New Westminster, has been sub-divided by survey and the map thereof has been deposited in the office of E. Dickinson, Esq., New Westminster.

And that claimants of any portion of this land who have not obtained Crown Grants thereof, should prove up their claims in accordance with clause 21, "Land Act, 1875."

Forms of proof and declaration can be obtained at the office of the Commissioner, New Westminster.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 23rd, 1876. se24

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To all to whom these presents shall come—GREETING

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS in pursuance of the provisions for this purpose contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," application has been made to the Lieutenant-Governor in Council, to withdraw the Comox District from the operation of the said Act.

NOW KNOW YE, that under and by virtue of authority contained in the "Breeding Stock Act, 1876," the Lieutenant-Governor in Council directs that from the date hereof the said Act shall not have any operation in the Comox District as set forth in Scheduie A to the "Constitution Act, 1871."

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Great Seal of Our said Province to be hereunto affixed: WITNESS the Honourable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS, Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, this fifth day of September, in the year of Our Lord One Thousand Eight Hundred and Seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHARLES GOOD,
Deputy Provincial Secretary. se12

NOTICE.

THE DEBTORS AND CREDITORS OF THOMAS GEORGE PHYPERS, late of Victoria, Butcher, who died on or about the 26th day of September, 1876, are requested to pay their debts or send particulars of their claims respectively to Mr. J. H. Carmichael or Mr. Alex. Holmes, the Executors of the deceased, or to MR. EDWIN JOHNSON,
Solicitor to the Executors.
Victoria, 3d October, 1876. oc5

Real Estate and Personal Property Tax.

ELECTORAL DISTRICT OF VICTORIA.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment Roll has been finally passed by the Court of Revision, and that Taxes are now due and payable to the undersigned.
R. F. JOHN, Collector.
South Saanich, Nov. 4, 1876. no5dw

Notice.

NOTICE is hereby given that the land within the following boundaries, and situate in New Westminster District, is hereby reserved until further notice, viz:—

Commencing at a point in Jarvis Inlet in the centre of the channel of Prince of Wales Reach, due East from Dacre's point; thence following the centre of the said channel to the bend of the said Inlet and including all the land within a distance of three miles on both sides of the said centre channel.

FORBES GEO. VERNON,
Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.
Lands & Works Department,
Victoria, Sept. 16th, 1876. se17

PROCLAMATION.

[L.S.] A. N. RICHARDS.

CANADA.

PROVINCE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA

VICTORIA, by the Grace of God, of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, QUEEN, Defender of the Faith, &c., &c., &c.

To Our faithful the Members elected to serve in the Legislative Assembly of Our Province of British Columbia, and summoned and called to a meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at our City of Victoria, on Wednesday, the twenty-second day of November instant, to have been commenced and held, and every of you—GREETING.

A PROCLAMATION.

A. C. ELLIOTT, Attorney-General. } WHEREAS the meeting of the Legislature or Parliament of the Province of British Columbia, stands called for Thursday, the twenty-second day of November instant, at which time, at Our City of Victoria, you were held and constrained to appear.

NOW KNOW YE that for divers causes and considerations, and taking into consideration the ease and convenience of Our loving subjects, we have thought fit, by and with the advice of Our Executive Council of the Province of British Columbia, to relieve you, and each of you, of your attendance at the time aforesaid; hereby convoking, and by these presents enjoining you, and each of you, that on Thursday, the Twenty-first day of December next, you meet Us in Our said Legislature or Parliament of Our said Province, at Our City of Victoria, and therein to do as may seem necessary. Herein fail not.

IN TESTIMONY WHEREOF, We have caused these Our Letters to be made Patent, and the Public Seal of the said Province to be hereunto affixed: Witness the Honorable ALBERT NORTON RICHARDS Lieutenant-Governor of Our said Province of British Columbia, in Our City of Victoria, in Our said Province, this eleventh day of November, in the Year of Our Lord one thousand, eight hundred and seventy-six, and in the fortieth year of Our Reign.

By Command,
CHAS. E. POOLEY,
Registrar Supreme Court. no14

NOTICE.

In the matter of the Estate and Effects of ISAAC CLOAKE, deceased, intestate.

ALL PERSONS who are indebted to the above Estate are required to pay the amounts due forthwith; and all persons who have any claims against the above Estate are required to send in their accounts on or before the 1st day of February, 1877, to
HENRY S. MASON,
Official Administrator.
Dated, Victoria, 1st November, 1876. No7

PROVINCIAL SECRETARY'S OFFICE, October 7th, 1876.

THE Regulations for the open Competitive Examination for the Civil Service of India, in 1877, can be seen on application to the Provincial Secretary.

A. C. ELLIOTT,
oc9 Provincial Secretary.

Daily British Colonist.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 15TH, 1876.

L. P. FISHER, 20 and 21 New Merchants' Exchange is our authorized Agent in San Francisco.

"BY THE SKIN OF THEIR TEETH."

The suit of the Water Commissioner vs. Monk, brought in the County Court, has resulted in a judgment for the defendant on a mere legal technicality. Counsel for the defendant disputed none of the allegations of the plaintiff; did not attempt palliate the offence of the Mayor and Council in granting an employe of the Mayor a monopoly to supply James Bay with water without tenders being asked from others. The defence, in fact, acknowledged the truth of the charge and threw themselves upon a mere quibble, a quirk, a wrinkle, a kink of the law, which the Supreme Court will doubtless be called on to smooth away and straighten out. The judgment will be found on the Third Page. It will be useful for the Ratepayers to consider for a moment the circumstances that led to the action. On the night of the 19th September last the Mayor, who was evidently laboring under strong "excitement" of some kind, informed the Council that the City was bankrupt; that $4,000 was falling due which there was nothing to pay with; and that the credit of the City at the Bank was "at an end." Immediately after this "excited" statement was made the Council went into what they pleasantly term a Committee of the (W)hole. While in that Committee, after voting away sums of money to pay bills presented by Councillors for services illegally performed, the Council proceeded to give Mr. John C. Monk—an employe of the Mayor—the right to lay pipes from Government Buildings' Square for the supply of James Bay with water. We think we can see through the "excited" expressions of the Mayor. The people of James Bay wanted water; and the remark as to the bankruptcy of the City may have been intended to prevent the Council undertaking the extension of the pipes as a Civic work, while his Worship's employe stood ready to take the contract as a private speculation. Now, the Waterworks Act distinctly says that no contract shall be given out except by the Water Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Mayor and Council; and clause 16 of the same Act reads as follows:

16. If any person or persons shall lay, or cause to be laid, any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, or in any way obtain or use any water thereof without the consent of the Commissioner, he or they shall forfeit and pay to the Commissioner, for water works purposes, the sum of four hundred dollars, and also a further sum of five dollars for each day such pipe or main shall so remain, which said sum, together with costs of suit in that behalf, may be recovered by civil action in any Court of law in the Province of British Columbia having civil jurisdiction to that amount.

It is clear from this clause that the Act has been violated. Indeed, the County Judge, in adjudging that each party shall pay his own costs, said as much. The technicality upon which the case was overthrown is the alleged impossibility of an agent to sue except in the name and with the consent of the principal. But is the Commissioner the agent of the Corporation? True, he is an appointee of the Corporation; but he is appointed, not by virtue of the Act of Incorporation, but under the authority of a special Act in which his duties are clearly set forth. The general purview and custody of the water works property is given him, subject to the approval of the Corporation; and to him alone is entrusted the duty of making contracts, subject again to the approval of the Mayor and Council. Now, it will be understood that the Mayor and Council arrogated to themselves the right to award a contract to Mr. Monk, and they did it. In taking this step they violated the Water Works Act that gives them no such power; but, in point of fact, plainly lays down that contracts shall only be awarded through the Commissioner. Under the circumstances, knowing the Act had been violated, what step was left for the Commissioner to take? His office was created and his duties defined as a check on the Corporation for the protection of the public. His authority had been disregarded and the law had been overriden. He could not sue the Corporation; nor could he ask the Corporation to sue Mr. Monk (they having placed in the hands of Monk the power to do wrong) without asking them to admit their own liability. But he could put in operation the 16th clause, which gives the *Water Commissioner* power, without the authority of the Corporation, to bring suit against "any person or persons who shall lay, or cause to be laid, any pipe or main to communicate with any pipe or main of the said water works, etc, without the consent of the Commissioner." Nothing is said in this clause about the consent of the Mayor and Council being necessary before the action shall be commenced; and, moreover, the Mayor and Council, having been guilty of a gross usurpation of power would be the last persons to bring an action against a man whom they had led into error. Acting under the authority conveyed in the clause Mr. Robinson, as the conservator of the rights of the public, whose property was about to be despoiled, instituted the proceedings which have just terminated in the County Court with the decision of the County Judge! There would seem to be no recourse left to the Water Commissioner but to appeal the case to a higher Court, and notice of appeal has been given. Judge Pemberton is not a lawyer. He is a painstaking, honest cautious officer; but he has not had a legal training. It is desirable that a mind trained to legal subtleties should sit in judgment on the Act.

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A 32-page pamphlet, containing a history of the PERUVIAN SYRUP, a valuable paper on progress in medical science, a treatise on iron as a medical agent, testimonials from distinguished physicians, clergymen and others, will be sent free to any address. SETH W. FOWLE & SONS, Proprietors, 86 Harrison Ave., Boston, Sold by dealers generally.

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Although I have generally a great objection to patent medicines, I can but say in justice to DR. WISTAR'S BALSAM OF WILD CHERRY that it is a remedy of superior value for Pulmonary Diseases.

I have made use of this preparation for years, and it has proved to be very reliable and efficacious in the treatment of severe and longstanding Coughs. I know of one patient, now in comfortable health, who has taken this remedy, and who but for its use, I consider, would not now be living. R. FELLOWS, M.D.

WM. HAYNES, Bandmaster Militia, will give instruction in the theory of harmony at schools or residences. Processions, balls, private parties, &c., &c., furnished. Orders left at M. R. Smith's Victoria Bakery, Fort street, will receive prompt attention.

FELL'S COFFEE, superior to any other manufactured on the Coast, may be obtained of all respectable dealers throughout the Province.

New Advertisements.

Victoria Gas Company, Limited.

NOTICE.

CONSUMERS ARE REQUESTED TO TAKE notice that the supply of Gas will be turned off THIS DAY, 15th Nov., from 8 a.m. till 2 o'clock in the afternoon.

no15 C. W. R. THOMSON.

REMOVAL.

T. W. PIERRE,

TAILOR, DYER, Etc.,

HAS REMOVED HIS PLACE OF BUSINESS to the first door above Government street, on Yates Street, opposite the Alhambra Building, where he hopes his old customers will continue the patronage so liberally bestowed upon him during the last nine years.

Gentlemen's Clothing Cleaned, Dyed and Renovated.

Ladies' Woollen Dresses and Jackets neatly cleaned. Faded Damask Curtains Restored. no15

AUCTION SALE.

J. P. Davies & Co.

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Saturday, Nov. 18th, 1876

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

At the Cattle Sale Yard, Fort street,

For account of whom it may concern,

HORSES, FARM WAGONS AND HARNESS,

Grindstones, Turnip-cutters, Timothy Seed, Double Sets Harness, Double and Whipple Trees, 3 Plows, Cultivators, Scuffler, Meat hooks, Horse Covers, Hay Cutters, Scythes and Snaths, Shovels, Hoes, Maul Rings, Ox Yokes, Brush Hook, Cradles, Wagon and Team Harness, Steelyards, Saddle, Hay Rakes, etc.

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The above sale is well worthy the attention of Farmers, Dairymen and other.

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A Handsome Black Lace Scarf

WILL BE RAFFLED AT DUCK'S CARriage Shop, Johnson street, on Thursday Evening at 8 o'clock. no14

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Wednesday the 15th inst.,

Grand Opening Night!

Of the Great

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DAN DUCROW - - - - - MANAGER.

NEW FACES! NEW ACTS!

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The younger Watrigant flying through the air from the Gallery to the Proscenium, a distance of 40 feet, catching his brother's hand before descending.

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A Double Trapeze Performance by the Watrigant Bros will take place in front of the Theatre, consisting of entirely new tricks.

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TENDERS WILL BE RECEIVED BY THE undersigned till 6 o'clock on Saturday the 18th November, for clearing a two (2) acre lot on James Bay, near Ogden Point.

The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

no14* DANIEL CAMERON.

Insolvent Act of 1875.

Christian William Kammerer, Plaintiff.
Thomas Napier Hibben, Defendant.

A WRIT OF ATTACHMENT HAS ISSUED in this cause.

C. T. DUPONT, Official Assignee.

Victoria, Nov. 11th, 1876. no14

BRITISH COLUMBIA

PIONEER SOCIETY.

THE ANNUAL DINNER

Of the above Society will be held

On Saturday Evening, 9th Dec., 1876,

At 7:30 o'clock, sharp,

At the PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL.

TICKETS $2 50 each; can be obtained of the Directors, or of the undersigned.

Schaffer's Brass Band will be in attendance.

no14 CHAS. KENT, Secretary.

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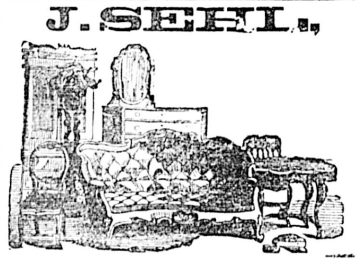

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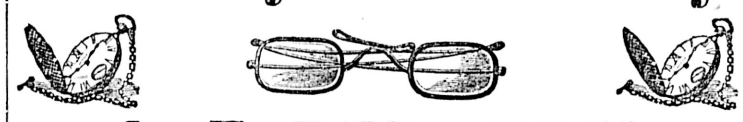

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At 6 o'clock a. m.,

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Running through both ways in daylight and connecting at Seattle with the Zephyr, Annie Stewart and other boats for places up the Sound. no7

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THE LADIES CONNECTED WITH THE Reformed Episcopal Church will hold a Bazaar on some day and evening during the first week in December next, for the purpose of raising funds to assist in discharging the Debt on the Church and to defray the expense of placing a fence about the sacred edifice and the Sunday-school building.

Ladies having completed work for this Bazaar are requested to send the same to either of the following named ladies.

MRS. CRIDGE,
MRS. McTAVISH,
MRS. HARRIS,
MRS. ENGELHARDT,
MRS. HIGGINS, } Committee.

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DAVID GREEN keeps in his grand store;
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Vending the best, we'll be supplied;
Inconstant Fashion from her Throne
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Greeting him a benefactor of the human race,
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Men, Boys and Children can delight,
Ever their clothes can now fit right.
No wonder people there should flock,
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Best Cardigan Jackets, make it known,
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You see as good as good can be;
Shirts, Drawers, all kinds of Hosiery

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Dealing in best, he well can claim

Cheap Prices ever guard his fame.
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In best of Rubber—Oil Clothing,
Look how the storms he can defy.
Doubt not we now can e'er keep dry.
Rightly, Hats, Caps and Collars, tell
Ever in these he can excel.
Now well to fit he's ever keen,
So people buy from DAVID GREEN.

Certain, all Victoria now must say,
Look how OUR DAVID has great sway!
Our Clothes are stylish—ever neat,
There's none that can with him compete.
How Columbia, shall loud proclaim,
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Graced by it—we are now well-dressed.

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FREDERIC J. HALLOWS, General Manager.

GLASGOW, 29th July, 1876. oc8 3m2p

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TWENTY MILLIONS STERLING.

The Whole Profit Belongs to the Policyholders.

WM. R. CLARKE,

no11 3m2p Agent for British Columbia.

THE STANDARD LIFE ASSURANCE CO.

NINTH DIVISION OF PROFITS,

AS AT 15TH NOVEMBER, 1875.

A SPECIAL GENERAL MEETING OF THE COMPANY was held on 28th June, to receive the Report of the Directors on the result of the investigation—

H. MAXWELL INGLIS, Esq., P. C. S., in the Chair.

THE Report, which contains a full explanation of the principles on which the investigation has been conducted, and the results exhibited, with specimens of the Bonus Additions declared, and other important matters, can be had on application at the Company's Offices.

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WEDNESDAY MORNING, NOV. 15TH, 1876.

Marine Intelligence.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

Nov. 14—str Isabel, Nanaimo
str Dakota, San Francisco

CLEARED.

Nov. 14—s'r Dakota, Pt Townsend
sch Industry, Saanich

CONSIGNEES.

Per str Dakota, from San Francisco — F Campbell, Lewis Lewis, Findlay, D & Brodie, J Gosnell, Henry Rhodes, T Mekolson, Thos Gorrie, H Holbrook, ' dis, Ecircje, A Bunster, Wells-Fargo, Langley & Co, Douglas & Deighton, Adams & Co, H Saunder-, J Rueff, J W Todd, Belmont B&S Factory, R dis C, E B Marvin, D Green, F Neufelder, J Crossen, W Heathorn, Fellows & Roscoe, A Bossi & Co, J A Webster, Miss L M Booth, R Maynard, J G Wirth, S J Pitts, Thos Wilson & Co, W&J Wilson, Turner, B & Tunstall, Strouss, B K & Co.

DEATHS.

In this city, on the 12th inst., at his residence, Kane street, Frederick Stephen Bushell, aged 54 years, a native of Margate, Kent, England.

[English and Virginia City, Nevada, papers please copy.]

The funeral will take place on Wednesday the 15th inst., leaving his late residence at 2 p.m., and the Reformed Episcopal Church at 2:30. All friends are invited.

BIRTHS.

In this city, on the 13th inst., the wife of Mr. C. R. Watkins, of a daughter.

JUDGMENT IN THE WATER MONOFOLY CASE.

The City Council Escape on a Quibble.

EACH PARTY TO PAY HIS OWN COSTS.

The Case Appealed.

At the County Court yesterday the hon. A. F. Pemberton delivered the following judgment in the case of

J. D. Robinson vs. John C. Monk—The plaintiff in this cause came forward, apparently, as a public officer, to vindicate the rights of an appointment which he holds under a local ordinance; and, the facts of the case being admitted, the only question to be decided is whether he can or cannot sue in his own name. In dealing with this question it will be necessary to review the authorities under which the Corporation of the City of Victoria has been incorporated. The principal of these are Nos. 57, 1865; 38, 1867; 20, 1873; 1, 1876.

An ordinance for the formation and regulation of Municipalities in B. C. (22d March, 1865.)

Sec. 1.—On petition from the residents of any town praying for municipal institutions, the Governor may grant the same.

Sec. 2.—The Governor may confer such corporate powers, with or without the right of suing and being sued in a corporate name or in the name of an officer, and with a common seal.

Short title "Borough Ordinance, 1865."

An Ordinance to incorporate the City of Victoria. (2d April, 1867.)

Under this Ordinance it is enacted that the inhabitants shall be incorporated under the style and title of "Corporation of the City of Victoria," and may sue and be sued by that corporate name. (Sec. 1.)

The City of Victoria shall have a Corporate seal, and the Municipal Council shall enter into all contracts under the same seal, which shall be affixed on all contracts by virtue of an order of the Municipal Council. (Sec. 59.)

Questions are to be decided by a majority of the members of the Municipal Council, and the Mayor or chairman shall have a casting vote. (Sec. 28.)

An Act for the supply of water to the City of Victoria.

The preamble says that the Corporation of Victoria shall have "power to construct, have, and manage, as to them may seem meet, certain water works on behalf of the City of Victoria."

Therefore, by section 2, it is enacted that "The Corporation of the City of Victoria" by and through the agency of a Commissioner and his successors, may and shall have power to design, construct build, purchase, improve, hold and generally maintain, manage, and conduct water works.

The Commissioner is to be appointed by the Municipal Council of Victoria, who have power to remove him; and he is, subject to the approval of the Mayor and Council, empowered to do all acts necessary to construct the requisite waterworks by means contemplated by the Act. (Sec. 4.)

Property in the water works is vested in the Corporation; and the Commissioner, subject to the approval of the Corporation, may maintain the water works. (Sec. 7.)

Certain penalties, if recovered, are to be applied by the Commissioner to water works purposes. (Sec. 8.)

The Commissioner shall account to the Corporation. (Sec. 10.)

The Commissioner shall record on books the whole of his official proceedings for the inspection of the Corporation. (Sec. 11.)

The Commissioner shall regulate the distribution of water and prices charged, subject to the approval of the Corporation, who may change all at their discretion. (Sec. 12.)

Subject to the approval of the Corporation the Commissioner may fix rates. (Sec. 13.)

Water rents and rates when collected shall be paid over monthly by the Commissioner to the Treasurer of the City of Victoria, to credit of the water works. (Sec. 14.)

In case of default of payment of rents or rates the Corporation may enforce payment by shutting off the water, or by suit at law, or both. (Sec. 14.)

Persons employed under the Commissioner shall hold their offices at the pleasure of the Corporation; and shall give security with the consent of the Corporation. (Sec. 15.)

Section 16 imposes a penalty of $400 on any person who shall lay or cause to be laid any pipe, or in any way obtain the use of the water works, without the consent of the Commissioner. The clause is defective: it imposes two penalties and gives power to recover one ("which said sum") but does not say which of the two.

Section 18, also, is defective: it does not give the Justice of the Peace referred to power to inforce the constitutional bylaw, when made. And penal statutes must be construed strictly.

The power I allude to is such as that contained in Sections 17 and 24: ("And every such person shall, on conviction before any of Her Majesty's Justices of the Peace, forfeit and pay for each offense," etc.,) or be imprisoned, (Section 24.) Ordinances made by Corporation to be observed on pain of imprisonment, are contrary to Magna Charta. 2 Just., 47. 54. (Tomlins Law Dict.)

Under the 25th Section the Commissioner's management of all things concerning the Water Works is subject to the approval of the Municipal Council, and *in the name of the Corporation of the City of Victoria* he shall prosecute or defend any action at law or in equity.

A servant or agent cannot sue upon a contract entered into by him as such. Thus the mere treasurer of Commissioners contracting for them; (Piggott *vs.* Thompson) or the Mayor of a Corporation contracting for the corporate body (Brown *vs.* Morris.) Russell on Factors 240, Chitty on Contracts p. 211.

In acts done by Corporations the consent of the major part shall be binding. 33 H. 8; C. 27. (Tomlins Law Dict.)

In the Municipal Amendment Act, 1876, there is no mention made of the Commissioner; but by Section 18 "It shall be lawful for the Municipal Council of the Corporation of Victoria, out of the Municipal revenue, from whatever source arising, to expend so much of the same as they may think fit, for the purpose of further carrying out the provisions of the Corporation of Victoria "Water Works Act, 1873."

An aggregate Corporation, being a mere artificial body, cannot act, except through the instrumentality of an agent or attorney, either specially pointed out by the Act of Incorporation, or specially authorized by the Corporation to act in its behalf. And therefore, such a Corporation cannot levy a fine, or acknowlege a deed, or appear in a suit, except by an attorney or agent. (Co. Litt. 66, 5.) (Story p. 15.)

Whenever any act of agency is required to be done in the name of the principal under seal, the authority to do the act must be conferred by an instrument under seal. (Co. Lett. Lett. 48 6. (Story p. 42.)

Unless the contrary manifestly appears, the authority of an agent is always construed to include all the necessary and usual means of executing it with effect. (Chitty on Com. and Manuf. 200.) Story p. 49.

It has been said to be an ancient rule of law, that when anyone has authority, as attorney, to do any act, he ought to do it in his name who gives the authority; for he appoints the attorney to be in his place, and to represent his person; and therefore the attorney cannot do it in his own name, nor as his proper act; but in the name and as the act of him who gives the authority. (Paley on agency, by Lloyd, 180.) Story p. 118.

Upon the whole, I am of opinion that the action of the plaintiff, brought in his own name, and without the approval of the Municipal Council, whose agent I consider him to be, cannot be sustained. The power to maintain discipline amongst their officers, of whom the Commissioner is one, is incident to the position which the Mayor and Council occupy as rulers by the common consent of the citizens of Victoria.

Whether the Mayor and Council have done right in this matter is not for me to say; that is a question for the Supreme Court to decide. There is nothing, however, in the evidence adduced, nor in the conduct of the plaintiff, to lead one to suppose that he has been actuated by improper motives in bringing this suit. On the contrary, from the observations of Mr Drake, who displayed great ability in arguing this case, I feel satisfied that the plaintiff considered he was discharging a public duty in acting as he had done.

With great respect for the opinion of Mr. Justice Gray, who reversed a former decision of mine respecting costs, I think the present case one in which I ought to exercise the discretion as to costs which I believe I by law possess. And I should be glad that the question would be set at rest by a decision of the full bench in the Supreme Court.

My judgment is is favor of the defendant; each party to pay his own costs.

Mr. Drake, counsel for the plaintiff, gave notice of appeal.

Weekly British Colonist.

This valuable reprint of the DAILY COLONIST will be ready for mailing at 7 o'clock this morning. It will contain a large amount of valuable and interesting reading matter. Price one "bit;" by the year, $5.

ANOTHER BIG BONANZA.—It is claimed that a mine of silver has been discovered in Oregon, about 65 miles above the Dalles, that beats anything for richness yet discovered in any part of the world. Wonderful stories are told of its richness, the ore from which is said to yield 95 per cent. pure silver. Messrs. Thorp, Leathers, (now in this city) Chapman and others own 66 claims of this new big or bigger bonanza, which, if the stories told of it are true, will make them far more wealthy than Flood, O'Brien, Jones, Sharon and other silver kings of California and Nevada.

THE WATRIGANT BENEFIT.—Do not fail to attend the benefit of the Watrigant Brothers, which takes place this evening at Theatre Royal. An open air performance will precede the wonderful feats to be given inside. In everything the celebrated acrobats undertake they are admitted to be unrivalled and their novelties have no limit. A crowded house will witness the daring "Niagara Leap" tonight, reserved seats should, therefore, be secured early this morning. For full particulars see advertisement.

FUNERALS.—The funeral of the late Mr. Chapman took place yesterday at 1 p. m. from the Methodist Church. That of the late Mr. Bushell will take place to-day, leaving Kane street at 2 p.m. and the Reformed Episcopal Church at 2:30 p.m. for Ross Bay Cemetery.

PUGET SOUND.—The steamer North Pacific left at 10 a. m. yesterday for Puget Sound with a large number of passengers on board. The steamer Eliza Anderson will arrive this afternoon from Seattle.

FROM NANAIMO. — The steamer Isabel arrived here at 2 p.m. yesterday with 125 tons of coal from Nanaimo.

THE steamship Dakota sailed from Esquimalt for Puget Sound at 4 o'clock this morning.

Arrival of the S. S. Dakota.

The mail steamship Dakota, Captain Morse, arrived at Esquimalt at 2 p.m. yesterday 96 hours from San Francisco bringing 40 cabin and 64 steerage passengers, 185 tons of freight for this port, 250 tons for Puget Sound, Wells, Fargo's express and the direct mails. She left San Francisco on the 10th inst. at noon and during the first 48 hours of the voyage experienced frest North-west gales and heavy seas which were followed by rain and fog. On Saturday afternoon she passed the steamers Ajax and Empire off Port Orford. Following are the names of passengers:—

For Victoria—S. A. Doll, W. Monteith, J. Field, Capt. Gunzel, Jas. Smith, R. Maynard, Mrs. McLane and child, Miss Bailey, Mrs. Jas. Linn, Mrs. E. White, and child and 14 in the steerage.

Seattle—C. E. Adams and family, Mrs. Brilton, Miss Bacon, Mrs. Peck, A. W. Bennett, F. Flatur, A. Jennings and wife, C. Taggeitt and wife, Mrs. Drew and two children, Mrs. Tuttle, S. L. Maxwell, M. A. Relly, Mr. S. Norton, and 44 in the steerage.

Tacoma—W. W. McMahon, H. Harmon and wife, and 1 steerage.

Olympia—N. Crosby, wife and child, Mr. Stroure and wife, C.W. Kennard, and 1 steerage.

UNCLE TOM'S CABIN.—This very amusing and interesting drama was presented at Theatre Royal last night by the Sawtelle Dramatic Company to a very large audience and was excellently played throughout. Miss Firmin played to great advantage in the difficult mimicry of Topsy, the slave girl, and rendered the part to the entire satisfaction of all present, whilst Eva was impersonated by little Vivia in a manner which bespeaks talent of no mean order in one of her tender years. Many of the characters taken were of necessity dual in nature, Mr. Sawtelle appearing as Phineas Fletcher and Legree, Mrs. Sawtelle as Eliza Harris and Cassy, all of which were well portrayed. Other members of the company assumed the various characters allotted in an equally creditable manner, and on the whole, the play was most successful. The scenery had been expressly prepared for the piece and the beautiful tableaux, "Eva in Heaven," was loudly applauded by the audience. For to-morrow evening Tom Taylor's great drama "The Ticket of Leave Man" is announced.

FOR THE EAST COAST.—The steamer Cariboo-Fly sailed at 7 o'clock yesterday morning for Nanaimo and East Coast settlements with the mails and following passengers:— Messrs. W. C. Ward, C. Leggatt, Fry, McK. Sabiston, W. P. Sayward, McDermott, Meacham and several others.

FOR NEW WESTMINSTER.—The steamer Enterprise left the H. B. Co.'s wharf at 7:30 yesterday morning for New Westminster, carrying the lower-Fraser mails, a large quantity of freight and the following passengers: Mr and Mrs. Caadsey, Miss McAuley, Miss McTavish, Capt Warren, Messrs. Boscowitz, Fernandez, Booth, Brickhouse and others.

THE ARTIFICIAL STONE.—Mr. Leathers will commence to lay an artificial stone sidewalk in front of Mr. Rudolph's jewelry store to-day. The sand and other necessary ingredients are on the ground and the work will commence early this morning. It will be a sight worth witnessing.

A MAGNIFICENT ASSORTMENT of Silber Lamps may now be seen at the London Bazaar, each one giving the light of twenty candles without smoke or smell and with fireproof chimnies. ∴

ON EXHIBITION.—The Artificial Stone Company have rented the premises on Yates street, formerly occupied by Wells, Fargo & Co., where samples of their manufactures may be seen.

SERIOUSLY ILL — Mr. Richard Hall, grain and feed merchant of Yates street, is lying seriously ill.

NO ENGLISH, or Canadian mail arrived by the San Francisco mail steamer yesterday.

POLICE COURT. — A blank calendar at this Court yesterday.

A Diamond Raffle

At Lovett's saloon, to take place on the evening of December 2nd, 1876, at half-past seven o'clock. 420 chances at $5 each. Every article put up at its value and each article is known to most of the residents of Victoria. 5 prizes: One 5¼ carat diamond, fitted to be worn as ring or pin, value $1,000. One diamond cluster ring, value $300. One fine gold watch valued at $200. One Jules Jurgeson watch—independent second hand—one of the finest watches in the Colony, value $300. One diamond slide (well known), value $300. The highest throw takes the 5¼ carat diamond with ring and pin settings or $900 in gold coin. The next highest takes the diamond cluster ring. The third highest takes the fine gold watch. The lowest throw has choice of the Jules Jurgeson watch or the diamond slide, and the second lowest takes the remaining prize. There will be three well known responsible gentlemen selected by the ticket-holders on the night of the raffle to conduct it. Parties that may have tickets for sale must make returns before the 2nd December, or the numbers they hold will be cancelled.

NOBODY BORED TO BUY TICKETS

Any person holding a ticket or tickets who may wish to leave Victoria, or who becomes dissatisfied before the raffle takes place, can have the price of the ticket or tickets refunded on presentation to

JOSEPH LOVETT,
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Victoria, B. C.

The prizes will be on view at Mr. H. Rudolph's Jewellery Shop—the coin put up the night of the raffle. *

DR. JAMES

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DELAYED DISPATCHES.

EASTERN STATES.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The 'Herald' has the following interview with President Grant, at Washington, last night: Upon being asked what his solution was of the present situation, he said: "They depend upon a fair count. The charge of corruption and fraud made against the Republican party by their political opponents was then spoken of. He said that the Democrats of the South may instigate all sorts of atrocities, and be parties to them to the extent of committing murder, and nothing much is said or thought about it, but when fairness in elections, according to the lawful plan is insisted upon, great complaint is made, and there is a charge of unfairness. Sending troops into the Southern States had produced a good effect and had maintained the peace. When the present trouble and conditions of the public mind we referred to, he said that he did not anticipate any trouble if proper precautions were taken in time. All that a rupture of the peace needed for its prevention was firmness, promptness and decision, as well as having force enough at command to nip it in the bud." Here the President reflected a moment, and then reviewed an instance in our national history. In the case of Buchanan, in 1861, he said: if a temporizing vaccilating policy had not deen followed there would not have been civil war and its disasters. At the time, if he had acted with decision, he might have stopped the whole thing with a brigade of troops; but he waited until the magnitude of the disturbance had got beyond his control. Do you anticipate trouble in the South, Mr. President? I asked. Oh, no, he answered, with a smile, I have made a resolution never to anticipate trouble. I never look for it until it comes, but believe it best to be prepared for what may come, and have the means at hand for any emergency.

NEW YORK, Nov. 12.—The Democratic majority for Tilden in South Carolina is about 900.

Boston, Nov. 10.—The entire vote of Massachusetts, with the exception of the town of Greenswold, is Hayes 149,2,0, Tilden 108,207, Rice 136,282. Adams 105,825, Baker 12,127, Rice's plurality 30,453, majority 18,526.

RICHMOND, W. Va, Nov. 9.—The negroes to-night are very disorderly. Large crowds gathered in the northern suburbs of the city and marched in procession down Broad street, armed with clubs, &c., throwing stones and breaking the glass of store windows, along the route. A detachment of police charged the rioters and dispersed them. Previous to this the mob went to the residence of J. W. Dungee, a colored preacher, who has made himself quite prominent as a Democratic canvasser, and stoned the house, breaking windows, &c. Subsequently a party of whites went to a negro house in Broad street and served it in the same manner. All quiet now.

CHICAGO, Nov. 9.—An Inter Ocean Washington dispatch describes a scene of most wonderful excitement. For 48 hours no business has been done but shouts have filled the air, and the police have with difficulty prevented riots.

The "Times" editorially says: In the very small majority by which Tilden will be called to the executive office, in the very small majority of his avowed supporters in the representative assembly, conjoined to the small opposition majority in the other legislative branch, the country will have the best possible guarantee of a better political administration. Elected by a majority of only eleven votes, and if the infamous programme should be attempted in Louisiana and Florida, by perhaps no more than three votes, the administration of Tilden will be compelled from the outset to stand on its good behaviour, and the least manifestation of a reactionary tendency or symptom of a return to Bourbonism will be the signal for the withdrawal of public confidence, which would swiftly precipitate its downfall. The "Times" congratulates the country on a nearly equally divided house, which guarantees good behaviour on the part of congress. Editorially it does not consider Hayes' election in any degree probable, hardly possible, and mentions the fact that he contests the matter yet merely in an incidental way.

EUROPE.

CHEYENNE, Nov. 9.—Latest returns give Corlett, Democratic delegate, 1,000 majority.

LONDON, Nov. 8.—The 'Daily News' this morning, discussing the Presidential election in the United States, says the result cannot surprise any attentive observer of American politics. It cannot cause a reversal of the legislation of the years immediately succeeding the war. It is a change rather of men than measures.

The 'News' says it is no injury to American credit and regards the payment of the national debt in specie as safe, whichever party may be in power. It bases its generally favorable anticipations, in a great measure, on the personal antecedents and moderation of Tilden who is likely to exercise a restraining influence upon the extreme sections of the party. It does not as yet, see any indication that the election affects the question of protective legislation. The 'News' also regards Tilden's antecedents as furnishing a good guarantee of the honesty and moderation of his administration, and security against inflationism.

The 'Standard' congratulates the Americans on the law-abiding spirit displayed throughout the country, and says the result of the election is scarcely greater cause of congratulation than the fact that so close a contest for such a great station should have passed without violence and bloodshed, when riots in a few places might have turned the scale.

LORD MAYOR'S DAY.

Earl Beaconsfield at the Banquet.

LONDON, Nov. 9.—Sir Thomas White was to-day installed as Lord Mayor of London, with the usual ceremonies. A grand banquet was given by the new Lord Mayor to-night at the Mansion House. Among the distinguished persons present was the Earl of Beaconsfield. In response to a toast, "Her Majesty's Ministers" Lord Beaconsfield made an elaborate speech, in which he explained the efforts the Government had made for the maintenance of peace during the past year. He said that in these efforts the Government had been guided by the principle of maintaining the independence and territorial integrity of the of the Ottoman Empire, which were guaranteed by the Treaty of Paris. He upheld this principle as the best adapted to secure the peace of the world. He emphatically repudiated the doctrine that the treaty of Paris ought to be considered obsolete. He recapitulated the events of the past year and stated that the Government had refused its assent to the Berlin memorandum, and also refused to give its sanction to the proposals contained in Sumarkoff's letter, because it felt that the occupation of Turkterritory would be a violation of the most solemn treaties. The sending of a fleet to Besika Bay insured the tranquility of Constantinople and showed that the interests of England were not to be trifled with. He continued: "Trying as events have been during the past year the independence and integrity of Turkey have not been violated and the general peace has been upheld. So much for the great purposes which the Government proposed to fulfill. Another leading object of Government policy has been to secure such improvement in the condition of the subjects of Turkey as would remove all cause for disturbances, whether produced by absolute sufferings or partly fostered by selfish agitators." Reviewing the Government's efforts in this direction Lord Beaconsfield spoke of his hopefulness in the prospects of peace, when Servia first showed signs of exhaustion and appealed to the good offices of England to procure an armistice. He testified to the cordiality and readiness with which Russia acceded to the proposal made by England on that occasion. The hopes then existing were, however, frustrated by an outburst of feeling in England, which persuaded not only the Servians, but the friends of the Servians in other countries, that England had suddenly determined to abandon her traditional policy with regard to the last proposal of an armistice. England had proposed a month as the minimum of the armistice, and as Russia had proposed three months the English Government considered the Porte had completely and adequately met the proposal by granting five months, and therefore withdrew from negotiation when the Porte's offer was refused, but was greatly gratified that an armistice had at last been obtained. He considered the Russian ultimatum unnecessary. Immediately after the armistice was agreed to the English Government proposed a Conference. He thought this Conference should not merely consist of the Embassador at Constantinople but should be participated in by statesmen who would be likely to have broader and less local views. Lord Beaconsfield concluded with the following words: "I think I am correct in saying that all the Powers have now agreed to attend the Conference. The Marquis of Salisbury will doubtless do his best for the permanent peace of Europe, which all the States are agreed can be best secured by adhering to the existing treaties. He knows that the independence and integrity of Turkey will vanish unless the people are placed under the Government which studies their welfare. I am hopeful that in the present temper of Europe we shall be able to accomplish these results without these terrible appeals to war, of which we have had so much. We have nothing to gain by a war. We covet no cities, no provinces. Our proudest boast is that the British empire subsists as much upon sympathy as force, but if a struggle should come it must be remembered that there is no country so well prepared for war as England, because there are none whose resources are so great in a righteous cause, and I trust England will never embark in war except in such a case as concerns her liberty. The empire of England is not a country which will have to enquire whether she shall enter into a second or third campaign. If she commences she will not finish till the right thing is done."

Gatling Guns in the English Navy

[From the London News.]

The Gatling mitrailleuse, which, despite its murdrous action, has never found much favor with the army, is, by direction of the Admirality, now being fitted in many of the vessels that are preparing for sea. The Alexandra and Shannon are each of them to receive two of these weapons on board, to be especially employed against marksmen posted in the rigging, or hostile marines engaged in firing through the port-holes, or in repelling any attempt at boarding. Again, it is also intended to arm our gun-boats and sloops with the same destructive implements for coast and river fighting. Six iron gun-boats, which are just now being built for service in the China rivers and upon the African coast, will be so constructed as to carry two Gatling guns amidships, and they will be mounted in such a manner that the weapons can be taken ashore in an emergency. These machines, which consist simply of a bundle of rifle-barrels revolving round a centre, are capable of discharging several hundred bullets per minute, and need but two pairs of hands of hands to work them. Although, possibly, hardly so effective in action as a score of men would be armed with breech-loaders, it is believed that if employed on gun-boat service, where a crew of thirty or forty men have sometimes to cope with hundreds of Chinese pirates, or to make up the river banks of which are lined with hostile natives, these Gatlings will be of considerable service. The heavy gun, or guns, with which our little craft are armed, are not always to be used with advantage, and the crew is so limited at times as to be quite unable to reply with effect with their small arms. In effecting a landing the Gatlings will be employed in "searching" any bush or jungle that may be near, and thus preparing a safe footing for the marines or blue jackets intrusted with an attack upon a village or stockade, or they may be landed and used with troops on shore in the form of light artillery, their lightness and mobility rendering them peculiarly adapted to such work. At the present moment, it seems, there are upward of a score of these gun-boats in course of construction for colonial and foreign service, and it is naturally the desire of the Admiralty to omit nothing in their equipment to render the little craft as formidable as possible.

ANOTHER GRAND RAFFLE.

A grand raffle for five splendid prizes will take place at the "Adelphi" saloon as soon as the chances are disposed of. The prizes consist of the best class of Jewelry and are: 1st, handsome stem-winding Gold Watch and Chain; 2nd, Lady's Gold Watch; 3rd, a beautiful ¾-carat Diamond Ring elegantly mounted; 4th, gentleman's double case Silver Watch and Gold Chain; 5th, gentleman's Silver Watch and Chain. The prizes will be thrown for in the usual manner, with three dice. The highest throw will have first choice of prizes, the next highest second choice, the next third choice, the next fourth choice and the lowest throw will take the remaining prize. There will be 200 chances at $2 50 each, and tickets are now for sale at the Adelphi Saloon, corner of Government and Yates streets. *

PATRONIZED BY HER EXCELLENCY THE COUNTESS OF DUFFERIN.—Remember, if you want to save money in buying, selling, or trading goods of any description, new or second hand, furniture or wearing apparel included, call at Haggerty's store on DUFFERIN STREET, hitherto known as Store Street. *

MUSIC — NOTICE OF REMOVAL. — Mr. Digby Palmer has removed into his new residence, Fort street. Instruction on the pianoforte, singing and thorough bass; pianofortes tuned; evening parties and balls supplied with music; pianofortes tuned by the year, $10. Orders may be left at T. N. Hibben & Co's. *6m

Auction Sales

REAL ESTATE SALE.

The Subscribers have received instructions to sell by Public Auction at Salesrooms, Wharf street,

Thursday, Nov. 30, 1876,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

House and Lot on Broad street,

House and Lot on Yates street,

2½-Acre Lot at the head of Pandora Avenue.

Suburban 5-Acre Lot at the head of Fort street.

80½ Acre Farm on Somenos Lake.

Particulars in Thursday's paper.

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FINE FURS!

Which will take place at our Salesrooms, Wharf street,

Tuesday, Nov. 21st, 1876,

Commencing at 11 o'clk a.m., sharp.

The Subscribers have been instructed to sell by

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A straight invoice of fourteen cases of Furs, manufactured expressly for the

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Which will be found on inspection a

VALUABLE & CHOICE SELECTION

Made up in the Latest Fashion.

Comprising in part of Muffs, Boas, Capes, Collars, Caps, Bonnets, Sacques, Turbans, Jockey Caps, Gloves, Hoods, Bonton, Hats, etc., and made of the following Furs, all of which are fully guaranteed as catalogued:

White Seal, White and Brown Cooney Mink, Sable, Alaska Fur Seal, Otter, Clipped Cooney, Muskrat, Coon, Skunk, Ermine, Grey Squirrel, Astrachan, Silver Grey, Black Lynx and Beaver.

These Furs will be on view 17th, 18th and 20th, Friday, Saturday and Monday (prior to Sale) from 10 a. m. to 3 p. m. each day, so that intending buyers can examine for themselves, and by marking their catalogues be prepared to attend the sale.

ALSO—2 CASES DRESS GOODS.

Silk Velvet Jackets, Silk Hoods, Blk Silk Dresses, French Merinos, Poplins, Cashmeres, Opera Cloaks, etc., etc.

☞ These Dresses are made up with Overskirts and pieces for bodies.

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J. P. DAVIES & CO.,
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Auction Buyer & General Commission Agent,

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Belmont Tanning & Boot & Shoe Co.,

LIMITED.

Government Street, Between Yates and Johnson.

THIS COMPANY have on hand the Largest and Most Complete Assortment of

BOOTS AND SHOES

In this Province, MADE SPECIALLY FOR THE TRADE OF BRITISH COLUMBIA from their Celebrated Brand of Leather known as THE BELMONT, manufactured by the Company fron the Hides of Mainland Cattle, and acknowledged to be of Superior Quality and Durability.

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They are to be obtained of every respectable Merchant and Trader in the Province, and are acknowledged to be SUPERIOR to all imported manufactures.

☞THE PUBLIC SHOULD ASK FOR BELMONT BOOTS AND SHOES,☜

As they combine DURABILITY, STYLE and FINISH with CHEAPNESS.

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THE BEST BRANDS OF

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BACON & BEANS Constantly on hand.

ALSO—A general assortment of

Groceries, Dry Goods, Boots and Shoes, Hardware,

AT VERY LOW PRICES.

STORAGE AND FORWARDING Done at Reasonable Rates.

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FURNITURE.

CROCKERY, GLASSWARE

Cutlery, Carpets

And all kinds of

HOUSE FURNISHING GOODS,

—AT—

Mansell & Holroyd's,

Corner of Yates and Douglas Street.

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BUTCHER,

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in

Meats and Vegetables,

PURVEYOR BY APPOINTMENT TO HER MAJESTY ROYAL NAVY.

THE BEST ASSORTMENT OF ISLAND and Mainland BEEF AND MUTTON constantly on hand.

Hotels, Restaurants and Families supplied at short notice, and Meats delivered FREE OF CHARGE to any part of the City or Suburbs with accuracy and dispatch

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mh10 LONDON MARKET

NOTICE OF REMOVAL.

Mrs. Maynard's

NEW PHOTOGRAPHIC GALLERY

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VICTORIA, B. C.

IS NOW PREPARED TO TAKE ALL KINDS of Photographs in all the latest improvements.

On hand and for sale Views of British Columbia and Vancouver Island. Also, all kinds of Photographic Material.

As the New Gallery is well lighted I will guarantee satisfaction to all who will favor me with their patronage oc24

Ld. Lowenberg,

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WILL PAY PARTICULAR ATTENTION to selling, purchasing and leasing property, negotiating loans and transacting everything connected with Real Estate business.

Maps of all the different Districts on the Island may be seen at his office. Parties desirous of purchasing homesteads, or making investments, will find on his bulletin Board Town Lots on nearly every street. Farming or Gardening Land in every District, some of which affords rare chance for investment.

Money on bond and mortgage to loan in sums to suit the demands.

Conveyances of every description done at reasonable rates. de1

REMOVAL.

H. M. Cowper

Has removed his splendid stock of

BOOTS and SHOES

To the Brick Building, next door to the Bank of British Columbia,

GOVERNMENT STREET,

Where he will be happy to wait on his old customers and all the new ones who may pay him a visit.

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SAM KEE,

Cormorant Street, above Government,

VICTORIA, B. C.,

Intelligence Office Keeper

Good Cooks, Gardeners Laborers, Wood hawyers, etc., provided at short notice, for any part of the country. oc21dwlm

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Dealer in

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To Johnson street, one door East of Eastman's Butcher Shop.

Manufactures Drawers, Undershirts, Overalls, etc., which he offers for sale by Wholesale and Retail, at Low Rates. e11

MR. HELMCKEN

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JUST RECEIVED and more shortly to arrive at the

ALHAMBRA BAZAAR,

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HENRY GRIBBLE.

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TOYS, STATIONERY, FANCY GOODS, ETC.,

At Prices to Suit the Times. oc29

POST OFFICE NOTICE.

Arrival and Closing of Mails at Victoria.

Summer Arrangements from 1st April, to 31st September, 1876.

MAILS.	ARRIVE.	CLOSE.
Canada, Great Britain Europe, and U. S., via San Francisco	About the 3d, 13th, and 23d of each Month	On the 10th, 20th, & 30th of each month, at 11 A.M.
Do. via Tacoma	Monday and Thursday 3 P.M	Tuesday at 9.30 A.M. and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Australia, New Zealand, Sandwich Islands and Fiji Islands.	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco every 4th Saturday from Ap'l 24.
China and Japan	Irregular dates of arrival...	In time to connect with mail steamer leaving San Francisco on 1st of each month.
Mexico, Central America, and South Pacific coast.	Irregular dates of arrival...	On the 10th 20th & 30th of each month at 11 A.M.
New Westminster & Burrard Inlet and Yale.	Wednesday and Saturday at 3 P.M.	Monday and Thursday at 6 P.M.
Barkerville, and Intermediate offices.	Saturday 3 P.M.	Thursday at 6 P.M.
Nanaimo and intermediate offices.	Thursday at 5 P.M.	Monday at 6 P.M.
Comox and intermediate offices.	Every alternate Friday at 5 P.M.	Every alternate Monday at 6 P.M.
Esquimalt	Daily at 10:30 A.M. and 2:30 P.M.	Daily, at 11 A.M. and 4 P.M.
Metchosin	Monday, 1 P.M.	Tuesday, 12 Noon.
Saanich	Thursday, 10 A.M.	Wednesday, 9 A.M.
Sooke	Monday, 3 P.M.	Tuesday, 9 A.M.

Letters for Registration must be posted half an hour before closing of each mail.

MONEY ORDERS

Payable at Money Order Offices throughout the Dominion, Great Britain and Ireland, Newfoundland, and the United States, and at the offices at Barkerville, Clinton, Nanaimo, New Westminster and Yale, in this Province, can be obtained at this office.

OFFICE HOURS—From 9 A. M. to 6 P. M.

FOR MONEY ORDERS—From 9 A. M. to 4 P. M.; on Saturdays from 9 A.M. to 12 noon.

R. WALLACE, Post Office Inspector.

POST OFFICE, VICTORIA, 1st April, 1876. my5

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Wholesale and Retail

BUTCHERS

Brick Building N. W. Corner of Yates and Broad Streets, Victoria, B. C.

YOUR FAVORS SOLICITED.

VICTORIA, Sept. 17, 1875 my5

REMOVAL.

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVING REMOVED his shop to

Johnson Street,

Opposite H. Shotbolt's Drug Store, is prepared to manufacture first-class

BOOTS & SHOES

At the shortest notice and at low prices.

Thanking the public for past favors, he would respectfully solicit a continuance of the same.

no2 HERMAN SCHULTZ.

REMOVAL.

R. Maynard,

HAVING REMOVED HIS

BOOT, SHOE AND LEATHER STORE

TO THE COR. OF DOUGLAS & JOHNSON STS.

is now prepared to receive orders for every description of

BOOTS AND SHOES.

Parties in the Trade can be supplied with all kinds

FRENCH KIP AND CALF,

UPPERS IN GREAT VARIETY

Also, SEWING MACHINES adapted for Shoemakers

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COMMISSION MERCHANTS & WHOLESALE Dealers in

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AND French Preserves.

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Government Street, below Fort opposite Hook and Ladder House. de10

PIANOS,

Organs, Harmoniums,

And a general assortment of

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MESSRS. BAGNALL & CO.

HAVE JUST RECEIVED BY Lady Head the most splendid variety of Pianos and other Musical Instruments ever imported in the Province. For beauty of design, richness of tone, delicacy of touch and solidity of construction we defy competition. Call and inspect them.

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Every Wednesday and Saturday Evening, such an entertainment, interluded with Song and Dance, as will fully convince them of the selection of the "Terminus" without a doubt, and thus relieve their minds on this most vexatious question.

N. B.—Passengers alighting at this depot will find their wants amply provided for by

C. J. PHILLIPS, Stationmaster.

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NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN, that the undermentioned persons who have paid certain instalments on land in New Westminster District, are required to pay the balance due on the several lots of land set against their respective names, within twelve months from date hereof. In default the said lands will be forfeited, in accordance with Clause 79, "Land Act, 1875."

Names.	Description of Land.	Amount due.	Total.
A.R. Howse & Chs. Sinnett	Block 6 N., Range 1 E., Section 23..	.....	$ 80 80
Joseph T. Baldwin	,, ,, ,, ,, 25..	.....	80 80
John Robson	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 17..	.....	90 39
Isaac Oliver	,, ,, ,, ,, 9..	80 80	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 15..	80 80	
	Block 5 N., Range 1 W., Section 4..	10 10	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 9..	80 80	
			225 50
John Cooper	Lot 167, Group 1	.....	115 95
William Clarkson	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 10..	80 80	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 11..	80 80	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 16..	80 80	
	Block 5 N., Range 1 E., Section 2..	100 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 9..	19 25	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 10..	42 16	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 11..	65 08	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 12..	73 33	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 13..	42 67	
	Block 4 N., Range 4 W., Section 16..	30 66	
	Block 5 N., Range 4 W., Section 25..	11 25	
			626 80
John Gustavus Norris	Block 4 N., Range 5 W., Section 5..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 6..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 8..	80 00	
	Block 4 N., Range 6 W., Section 1..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 30..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 31..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 32..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 6 W., Section 25..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 26..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 35..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 36..	80 00	
			880 00
Joseph Wilson	Block 4 N., Range 5 W., Section 1..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 2..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 3..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 4..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 9..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 10..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 11..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 12..	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 33..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 34..	80 00	
			800 00
Moody, Dietz & Nelson	Lot 129, Group 1	80 00	
	Lot 132 ,,	80 00	
	Block 5 N., Range 2 W., Section 34..	80 00	
	,, Range 4 W., Section 19..	48 00	
			288 00
Henry Forman	Lot 76, Group 1	.....	23 33
Goon, Gan & Mow	Lot 171, Group 1	.....	116 66
Samuel Herring	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 20..	.....	18 00
David Leneveu	Block 4 N., Range 4 W., Section 2.	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 3..	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 4..	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 5..	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 8..	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 9..	105 32	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 10..	72 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 11..	34 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 17..	102 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 20..	50 00	
			898 60
George Jenkinson	Block 5 N., Range 5 W., Section 13..	.....	7 50
Henry P. P. Crease	Block 4 N., Range 6 W., Section 10..	106 66	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 15..	106 66	
			213 32
Kum Shoong	,, ,, ,, ,, 12..	.....	106 66
John Green	,, ,, ,, ,, 33..	.....	133 32
Edwin Johnson	Block 1 N., Range 1 E., Section 29..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 30..	80 00	
	,, ,, ,, ,, 32..	80 00	
			240 00
Jeremiah Rogers	Lot 158, Group 1	104 95	
	Lot 159, ,,	133 15	
	Lot 160, ,,	66 90	
			305 00

Lands and Works Department, Victoria, 4th November, 1875.

F. GEO. VERNON, Chief Commissioner of Lands & Works.

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Gun & Rifle Maker,

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Has received from London direct, a Large Assortment of

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FISHING TACKLE IN GREAT VARIETY,

Pocket and Sporting Cutlery, Powder Flasks, Shot Pouches, Game Bags, Cartridge Belts, Apparatus for Filling Cartridges for Breech-loaders and a full assortment of Gun Tackle.

GUNS MADE TO ORDER. REPAIRING NEATLY EXECUTED

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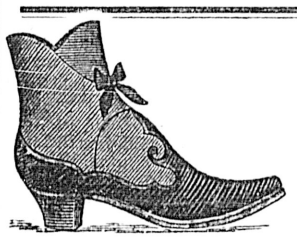

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AT LOWEST RATES.

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THE MOST COMMODIOUS AND CLEAN Hotel in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle. The table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

MEALS at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for Families.

CHARGES—Board and Lodging per Week, $5 50 to 6 50; Board and Lodging per Day $1. Single Meals 37½ cents; Beds, 50 cents.

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Nothing will be spared to render the guests as comfortable as any house on the Pacific Coast.

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Board and Lodging per Week	$6 00
Board per Week	5 00
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Single Meals	37½
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Boarding House,

JOHNSON ST., cor. Waddington Alley.

Meals.....25 Cents.

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FORT STREET.

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And hopes that his friends will not forget the old Doc.

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QUEEN'S MARKET,

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Mr. Walker will devote his attention to

HORSESHOEING,

Of which branch he is master, having studied in the Veterinary College, Glasgow, Scotland.

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Also, Jobbing and Wagon-work as usual at reasonable prices.

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Victoria, B.C., Oct. 16, 1876. oc17 1m

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